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9. (Confidential - JMM) Accompanied [redacted] OCI, who briefed Senator Ernest F. Hollings (D., S.C.) on the Middle East situation. Hollings, who supports the Administration's program of [redacted] commented that a growing number of his colleagues are taking an opposite position. 25X1

10. (Confidential - JMM) General Raymond Furlong, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs, called to say that House Armed Services Committee wished a joint appearance by the Director and Defense representatives on the Middle East war at 10 a.m., Tuesday, 23 October. He would particularly like a copy of the Director's prepared statement by Monday evening or very early Tuesday morning. After checking with the Director, Dick Lehman, and consulting with Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, I said we would get something over to him not later than early Tuesday morning. He said that he assumed Mr. Colby would lead off with an intelligence briefing followed by Mr. William P. Clements, Deputy Secretary of Defense, and General George Seignious. Director Joint Staff, JCS, on the American program of [redacted] However, he said General Seignious would probably prefer to give the story on the Soviet air support. 25X1

11. (Confidential - JMM) Called Bill Timmons, White House staff, to tell him of Senator Hollings' comments regarding the Senate's reluctance to support large supplementary appropriations for [redacted] 25X1

12. (Internal Use Only - LLM) At the request of Mr. Houston called Jim Woolsey, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, to review the language for insertion into the Stennis Bill amending the 1947 Act, which is to be introduced today. I also promised to send Woolsey the case law and other authoritative comments pertaining to the intelligence sources and methods proviso.

13. (Unclassified - LLM) Spoke with Miss Hoffman in Representative Hamilton Fish, Jr.'s office (R., N.Y.) in response to her earlier call. It was agreed with Miss Hoffman that she would give us a call to set up interview dates for [redacted] who were interested in Agency employment possibilities. 25X1

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